

**INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT
OFFICE OF WATER QUALITY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING AND DRAFT NPDES RENEWAL**

PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 2015 – 11A - RDPH
HEARING DATE: December 15, 2015

DATE OF NOTICE: November 13, 2015
RESPONSE DATE: December 29, 2015

Applicant: American Suburban Utilities, Inc., (Carriage Estates Wastewater Treatment Plant)
NPDES Permit No. IN0043273, 4100 Bridgeway Drive, West Lafayette, Indiana 47906, TIPPECANOE COUNTY.

On August 21, 2015, American Suburban Utilities, Inc. submitted a NPDES permit renewal application. The permittee operates a Class III, domestic sanitary sewer plant that currently has an average design capacity of 1.5 MGD. The permittee proposes to increase the average design capacity of the facility to a Class III, 4.0 MGD facility which discharges to Indian Creek. On the basis of preliminary staff review and application of pertinent standards and regulations, IDEM proposes to issue the NPDES permit renewal, which will impose certain effluent limitations, monitoring requirements, and special conditions. The permit term is for no more than five years.

IDEM has scheduled a public hearing concerning the draft permit for Tuesday December 15, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. (eastern time), at William Henry Harrison High School - Auditorium, 5701 North 50 West, West Lafayette, IN, 47906-9736. The purpose of the hearing is to allow public participation in the determination of the terms and conditions of the NPDES permit. Interested parties should submit written or oral comments to the IDEM representatives at the time of the meeting. Individuals requiring reasonable accommodations for this hearing must contact the IDEM-ADA Coordinator at 100 N. Senate Ave., Rm 1322N, (317) 233-4200, or via the Indiana Relay Service at (800)743-3333, at least 72 hours prior to the hearing.

Comments not submitted at the public hearing must be received by IDEM no later than December 29, 2015 to be considered in the formulation of the Final Determination. Anyone wishing notification of the Final Determination on this permit must provide written contact information to IDEM staff at the public hearing or during the specified comment period. Notice of Final Permit action will not be made to persons who fail to comment on the draft permit or fail to request such notice. Deliver or mail all written requests to IDEM- Office of Water Quality/ Permits Branch/Municipal NPDES Permits Section, Attention: Jason House, IGCN Rm 1255, 100 North Senate Avenue, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251. Comments or questions submitted via email: jahouse@idem.IN.gov; Telephone inquiries: (800) 451-6027 x 30470, local (317) 233-0470.

All related documents are on file & may be inspected at the IDEM Central Office (address listed above) from 9:00 – 4:00, M - F, (copies 10¢ per page). The permit is also available for public access on IDEM's Web Site at <http://in.gov/idem/cleanwater/2480.htm>. Please tell others whom you think might be interested in this matter.